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SUBJECT: ASIAN PACIFIC COUNCIL OF AMERICAN CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE
(APCAC)-JAKARTA CONFERENCE

REF: A) STATE 235429 B) SEOUL 7649 C) BANGKOK 266236

1. OFFICERS OF AMCHAM HONG KONG WERE PLEASED TO LEARN THAT
ANTHONY GEBER WILL ATTEND JAKARTA CONFERENCE. THEY
ARE AWARE OF LYMAN'S PROPOSAL (REF B) BUT DO NOT AGREE WITH IT.

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THEIR BELIEF IS THAT IF LYMAN RAISES THE ISSUE IN THESE TERMS

AT THE CONFERENCE HE WILL BE "LAUGHED OUT OF THE ROOM".

2. NEVERTHELESS IT IS APPARENT THAT THE NEW TAX BILL,
(WHICH BUISNESS COMMUNITY HERE ASSUMES WILL BE SIGNED)
CAUSING SUBSTANTIAL AMOUNT OF PAIN TO AMERICAN BUSINESSMEN
WHO ARE UNABLE TO OBTAIN REIMBURSEMENT FROM THEIR EMPLOYERS
FOR THE ADDITIONAL TAX. CONSEQUENTLY WE HOPE GEBER WILL COME
PREPARED TO DEAL WITH SUCH AS THOSE MADE BY LYMAN AS IT
IS LIKELY THAT SOME DISCUSSIONS OF THIS ISSUE
CANNOT BE AVOIDED.
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